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Diocese of Crookston

Form for Petitioning a Matrimonial Dispensation or Canonical Permission

_____, 20_____

_____, a Catholic having matrimonial domicile at

_____ (parish)

_____ (city)

_____ (state)

Who was baptized on _____, at _____, wishing
(date) (church and city)

To marry _____

Baptized Catholic _____ baptized non-Catholic _____ non-baptized _____ doubtfully bapt. _____

I Petitions a dispensation from the impediment of:

_____ 1. The Impediment Disparity of Cult (c.1086)

_____ 2. The Impediment Disparity of Cult and Cautelam.

_____ 3. The Impediment of Consanguinity to the fourth degree of the collateral line.
(first cousins – c.1091)

_____ 4. The Impediment of Affinity. (c.1092) e.g., Mother-in-law/step daughter

_____ 5. The Impediment of Public Propriety (c.1093)

_____ 6. The Impediment of Legal Relationship arising from adoption. (c.1094)

_____ 7. The Impediment of Crime. (c.1090)

_____ 8. _____

_____ 9. _____

II Petitions a permission for:

_____ A. Mixed Religion (c.1124-1125) N.B., Promises required.

_____ B. A Non-Practicing Catholic. (c. 1071) N.B., Promises of Practicing Catholic required.

The Canonical reason is _____

Rev. _____

Church of _____

_____ Minnesota

Dispensation From The Catholic Form of Marriage

_____, also requests a dispensation from the Form of
Marriage so that the marriage may be contracted in _____ Church.

_____, in the presence of Rev. _____
(address, city)

_____ Clergyman. The reason for this request is: _____
(denomination)

Declaration And Promise of The Catholic Party

I, _____, reaffirm my faith in Jesus Christ and, with
God’s help, intend to continue living that faith in the Catholic Church. At the same time, I acknowledge the
respect I owe to the conscience of my partner in marriage.

I promise to do all I can to share the faith I have received with our children by having them baptized and educated as
Catholics.

(signature of the Catholic party)

The above Declaration and promise have been made orally.

Statement of the Priest / Deacon

The required promise and declaration have been made b the Catholic in my presence. The party who is not Catholic has
been informed of this requirement so that it is certain that he (she) is aware of the promise and obligation on the part of
the Catholic. Both parties are entirely sincere and I recommend that their request be granted.

(signature of priest/deacon)

(Parish Seal)

_____ Phone _____

(church)

(place)